

# Corey Morgan

Corey Morgan was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 16

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Feb 5, 1996

Date of death: Feb 5, 1996

Cause of death: Struck By

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Driving/Operating Vehicle/Apparatus

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Responding

Fixed property use: N/A

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Clarksville Fire Department  
PO Box 1371  
Clarksville, VA 23927  
Chief: Robert Wilkerson

# Frank E. Young

Frank E. Young was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 38

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Mar 18, 1996

Date of death: Mar 18, 1996

Cause of death: Caught or Trapped

Nature of death: Asphyxiation

Activity type: Advance Hose Lines/Fire Attack (includes Wildland)

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Store/Office

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Chesapeake Fire Department  
304 Albemarle Drive  
Chesapeake, VA 23320  
Chief: Michael Bolac

# John R. Hudgins, Jr.

John R. Hudgins, Jr. was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 32

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Mar 18, 1996 12:00

Date of death: Mar 18, 1996

Cause of death: Caught or Trapped

Nature of death: Asphyxiation

Activity type: Advance Hose Lines/Fire Attack (includes Wildland)

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Store/Office

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Chesapeake Fire Department  
304 Albemarle Drive  
Chesapeake, VA 23320  
Chief: Michael Bolac

# Marvin Griffin

Fatality status is provisional and may change as USFA contacts State Fire Marshals to verify fatality incident information.

Age: 42

Rank:

Classification: Career

Incident date:

Date of death: Jul 19, 1997

Cause of death: Struck By

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type:

Emergency duty:

Duty type:

Fixed property use: N/A

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Richmond Fire Department

Richmond, VA

Chief:

# William S. Bradner III

William S. Bradner III was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 30

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Nov 5, 1997

Date of death: Nov 5, 1997

Cause of death: Struck By

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Water Supply

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Responding

Fixed property use: N/A

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Tunstall Fire and Rescue Company  
P.O. Box 575  
Danville, VA 24543  
Chief: Kenneth Hudson

# John F. Lincoln, Jr.

John F. Lincoln, Jr. was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 52

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Dec 5, 1997

Date of death: Dec 6, 1997

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Advance Hose Lines/Fire Attack (includes Wildland)

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Responding

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Purcellville Volunteer Fire Department  
200 North Maple Avenue  
Purcellville, VA 20132  
Chief: Fred Embrey

# Christopher Garneau

Christopher Garneau was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 17

Rank: Firefighter

Classification:

Incident date: Aug 16, 1995

Date of death: Aug 16, 1995

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Other

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Responding

Fixed property use: N/A

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Warrenton Volunteer Fire Department  
167 West Shirley Avenue  
Warrenton, VA 22186  
Chief: Billy F. Hitt

# Carter Martin

Carter Martin was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age:

Rank: Assistant Chief

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Jun 22, 1995

Date of death: Jun 22, 1995

Cause of death: Caught or Trapped

Nature of death: Asphyxiation

Activity type: Search and Rescue

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Non-Fire

Fixed property use: N/A

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Brookville/Timberlake Volunteer Fire Department  
2801 Waterlick Road  
Forest, VA 24551  
Chief: Gerald Mays



# Robert M Eades

Fatality status is provisional and may change as USFA contacts State Fire Marshals to verify fatality incident information.

Age:

Rank: Captain

Classification: Career

Incident date:

Date of death: Oct 15, 1998

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type:

Emergency duty:

Duty type:

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Bristol, VA

Chief:

# Jon H. Snyder

Fatality status is provisional and may change as USFA contacts State Fire Marshals to verify fatality incident information.

Age: 54

Rank:

Classification: Career

Incident date:

Date of death: Dec 28, 1998

Cause of death: Exposure

Nature of death: Other

Activity type:

Emergency duty:

Duty type:

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

York County

York County, VA  
Chief:

# Bradley Curtis McNeer

Bradley Curtis McNeer was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 22

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Dec 18, 1999 19:42

Date of death: Dec 18, 1999

Cause of death: Struck By

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Riding Vehicle/Apparatus

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Responding

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Chesterfield Fire Department  
P.O. Box 40  
Chesterfield, VA 23832  
Chief: Steve Elswick

# Christopher Whelan

Fatality status is provisional and may change as USFA contacts State Fire Marshals to verify fatality incident information.

Age: 30

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Feb 13, 2000 06:00

Date of death: Feb 13, 2000

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Other

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use: Street/Road

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Norfolk Fire and Paramedical Services  
100 Brooke Avenue  
Norfolk, VA 23510  
Chief: Donald Haupt, Jr.

# Anthony Covis

Anthony Covis was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 42

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Jun 4, 1994

Date of death: Jun 4, 1994

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: In-Station Duties

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use: N/A

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Newport News Fire Department  
2400 Washington Avenue  
Newport News, VA 23607  
Chief: Larry L. Orie

# Steven A. Colona

Steven A. Colona was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 18

Rank: Chief Engineer

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Dec 27, 1994

Date of death: Dec 27, 1994

Cause of death: Struck By

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Driving/Operating Vehicle/Apparatus

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Responding

Fixed property use: Street/Road

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Melfa Volunteer Fire & Rescue Company  
Post Office Box L  
Melfa, VA 23410  
Chief: Randy Parker

# Kenneth T. Miller

Kenneth T. Miller was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 65

Rank: Captain

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Oct 16, 2000 22:30

Date of death: Oct 16, 2000

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Advance Hose Lines/Fire Attack (includes Wildland)

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Cape Charles Volunteer Fire Company  
501 Mason Ave. PO Box 427  
Cape Charles, VA 23310  
Chief: Steve Wilson

# Fred McNeil Johnson

Fred McNeil Johnson was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 71

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Mar 27, 2002 20:45

Date of death: Mar 28, 2002

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Other

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Training

Fixed property use: Store/Office

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Abingdon Volunteer Fire Department  
316 Park Street  
Abingdon, VA 24210  
Chief: M.L. Odum



# Jean L Nuckols

Jean L Nuckols was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 47

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Jan 28, 2004 07:00

Date of death: Jan 31, 2004

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Cerebrovascular Accident

Activity type: In-Station Duties

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use: Store/Office

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Navy Regional Fire Rescue  
2600 Tarawa CT W, Suite 112, Code N04  
Norfolk, VA 23521-3297  
Chief: Jim Meagher

# Robert Thomas Crutchfield, III

Robert Thomas Crutchfield, III was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 36

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Jan 28, 1990 22:30

Date of death: Jan 28, 1990

Cause of death: Exposure

Nature of death: Asphyxiation

Activity type:

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Danville Fire Department

Danville, VA

# Vernon Dennis DeShazor

Vernon Dennis DeShazor was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 33

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Jan 28, 1990 22:30

Date of death: Jan 28, 1990

Cause of death: Exposure

Nature of death: Asphyxiation

Activity type: Advance Hose Lines/Fire Attack (includes Wildland)

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Danville Fire Department

Danville, VA

# Mark Edwin Polan

Mark Edwin Polan was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland .

Age: 30

Rank: Captain

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Aug 22, 1990

Date of death: Aug 22, 1990

Cause of death: Vehicle Collision - Includes Aircraft

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type:

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Responding

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Blacksburg Volunteer Fire Department

Blacksburg, VA

# Floyd M Price

Floyd M Price was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 71

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Mar 18, 1990

Date of death: Mar 18, 1990

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type:

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Responding

Fixed property use: Street/Road

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Luray Volunteer Fire Department

Luray, VA

# Walter J Scruggs, Jr.

Walter J Scruggs, Jr. was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age:

Rank:

Classification:

Incident date: May 16, 1990

Date of death: May 16, 1990

Cause of death: Unknown

Nature of death: Unknown

Activity type: Unknown

Emergency duty:

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Fairfax County Fire & Rescue

Fairfax, VA

# Larry H Brooks

Larry H Brooks was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland .

Age: 42

Rank: Unknown

Classification: Career

Incident date: Dec 23, 1991

Date of death: Dec 23, 1991

Cause of death: Exposure

Nature of death: Other

Activity type:

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Portsmouth Fire Department

Portsmouth, VA

# Lynn Maricle

Lynn Maricle was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland .

Age: 37

Rank: Unknown

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Jan 20, 1991

Date of death: Jan 20, 1991

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type:

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Training

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Front Royal Volunteer Fire Department

Front Royal, VA



# Gwyn L Ellis

Gwyn L Ellis was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland .

Age: 54

Rank: Lieutenant

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Oct 20, 1992

Date of death: Oct 20, 1992

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Support

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

La Crosse Volunteer Fire Department

La Crosse, VA

# Samuel I Boyce

Samuel I Boyce was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland .

Age: 28

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Mar 15, 1993

Date of death: Mar 15, 1993

Cause of death: Struck By

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type:

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Shawnee Volunteer Fire Department

Winchester, VA

# David M Dunkerley

David M Dunkerley was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland .

Age: 37

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Jun 20, 1993

Date of death: Jun 20, 1993

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Water Supply

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Louisa Volunteer Fire Department

Louisa, VA

# Walter E Sivertson

Walter E Sivertson was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland .

Age: 47

Rank: Captain

Classification: Career

Incident date: Jan 8, 1993

Date of death: Jan 8, 1993

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Advance Hose Lines/Fire Attack (includes Wildland)

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Newport News Fire Department

Newport News, VA

# Steven M. Rosenfeld

Steven M. Rosenfeld was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 52

Rank: EMS Captain

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Sep 9, 2004 01:30

Date of death: Sep 9, 2004

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: EMS/Patient Care

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Non-Fire

Fixed property use: Street/Road

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Salem Volunteer Fire Department  
8279 Sperryville Pike  
Culpepper, VA 22701  
Chief: Mike Bailey

# Max Buford Willard

Max Buford Willard was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 68

Rank: Fire Chief

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Nov 12, 2005

Date of death: Nov 12, 2005

Cause of death: Caught or Trapped

Nature of death: Burns

Activity type: Advance Hose Lines/Fire Attack (includes Wildland)

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Vacant Property

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Oakwood Volunteer Fire Department  
PO Box 159  
Oakwood, VA 24631-0159  
Chief: Stan Smith

# John “JP” Paul Memory II

John “JP” Paul Memory II was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA’s annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 19

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Sep 16, 2006 13:16

Date of death: Sep 16, 2006

Cause of death: Other

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Other

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Training

Fixed property use: Outdoor Property

Memorial fund information: J.P. Memory Memorial Fund, Carrollton Volunteer Fire Department, PO. Box 77 Carrollton VA 23314

## Department information

Carrollton Volunteer Fire Department  
15020 Carrollton Blvd. PO. Box 77  
Carrollton, VA 23314  
Chief: Joel Acree

# Kyle Robert Wilson

Kyle Robert Wilson was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 24

Rank: Firefighter - Technician One

Classification: Career

Incident date: Apr 16, 2007 06:03

Date of death: Apr 16, 2007

Cause of death: Caught or Trapped

Nature of death: Burns

Activity type: Search and Rescue

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information: Checks made out to the Kyle Wilson Fund can be sent to the Prince William Professional Fire Fighters, 5521 Mapledale Plaza, Dale City, VA 22193. Funds will be used to assist Wilson's family. For more information on the fund call 703-597-1080.

## Department information

Prince William County Department of Fire and Rescue  
1 County Complex Court  
Prince William, VA 22192  
Chief: Kevin McGee



# Joseph Newsome

Fatality status is provisional and may change as USFA contacts State Fire Marshals to verify fatality incident information.

Age: 42

Rank: Captain

Classification: Career

Incident date: Apr 23, 2007 08:00

Date of death: Apr 23, 2007

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Fitness Activity

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Training

Fixed property use: Store/Office

Memorial fund information: The Joe Newsome Memorial Fund, Attn: CARES, P.O. Box 40, Chesterfield, Virginia 23832

## Department information

Chesterfield Fire and Emergency Medical Services Department  
P.O. Box 40  
Chesterfield, VA 23832-0040  
Chief: Paul W. Mauger

# Roy Dale Smith III

Roy Dale Smith III was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 17

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Nov 7, 2008 00:47

Date of death: Nov 7, 2008

Cause of death: Vehicle Collision - Includes Aircraft

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Driving/Riding Personal Vehicle

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Responding

Fixed property use: Street/Road

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

McGaheysville Volunteer Fire Department  
80 Stover Drive  
McGaheysville, VA 22840  
Chief: Earl Hensley

# Cecilia Turnbough

Cecilia Turnbough was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 42

Rank: EMT/Firefighter Trainee

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Nov 9, 2008 15:00

Date of death: Nov 9, 2008

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Other

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Training

Fixed property use: Outdoor Property

Memorial fund information: Pending

## Department information

Dale City Volunteer Fire Department  
3171 Prince William Parkway  
Dale City, VA 22193  
Chief: Chief Chris Hool

# Jeffrey Houston Reed

Jeffrey Houston Reed was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 39

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Jun 4, 2009 21:56

Date of death: Jun 8, 2009

Cause of death: Other

Nature of death: Other

Activity type: Pump Operations

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information: In honor of Firefighter Jeffrey H. Reed, c/o Pulaski Fire Department, 117 N Jefferson AVE, Pulaski, VA 24301

## Department information

Pulaski Fire Department  
117 N Jefferson AVE USNG: 17S NB 1932 0009  
Pulaski, VA 24301  
Chief: Bill Webb

# Carl Nordwall

Carl Nordwall was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 56

Rank: Captain

Classification: Career

Incident date: Oct 3, 2009 08:15

Date of death: Oct 6, 2009

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Other

Activity type: In-Station Duties

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use: Store/Office

Memorial fund information: Expressions of sympathy or condolences can be sent to Local 3406 at 4710 Pinehurst Avenue, Norfolk, VA 23513-3755.

## Department information

Norfolk Airport Fire Department  
2200 Norview Avenue USNG: 18S UF 9328 8451  
Norfolk, VA 23518  
Chief: Charles Lavene

# Bobby Joe Mullins

Bobby Joe Mullins was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 52

Rank: Assistant Fire Chief

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Dec 20, 2009

Date of death: Dec 20, 2009

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Unknown

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Street/Road

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Dante Volunteer Fire Department  
PO Box 86 USNG: 17S LA 8450 9325  
Dante, VA 24237  
Chief: Ricky Neece

# William “Danny” Daniel Altice

William “Danny” Daniel Altice was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA’s annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 67

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Jul 26, 2010 16:30

Date of death: Jul 26, 2010

Cause of death: Vehicle Collision - Includes Aircraft

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Riding Vehicle/Apparatus

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Responding

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information: Donations be made to the Posey W. Dillon and Danny Altice Memorial Fund, in care of the Rocky Mount Volunteer Fire Department.

## Department information

Rocky Mount Fire Department #1  
1250 N. Main ST USNG: 17S NA 9852 9689  
Rocky Mount, VA 24151  
Chief: Pending

# Posey Wayne Dillon

Posey Wayne Dillon was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 59

Rank: Fire Chief

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Jul 26, 2010 16:30

Date of death: Jul 26, 2010

Cause of death: Vehicle Collision - Includes Aircraft

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Driving/Operating Vehicle/Apparatus

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Responding

Fixed property use: Storage

Memorial fund information: Donations be made to the Posey W. Dillon and Danny Altice Memorial Fund, in care of the Rocky Mount Volunteer Fire Department.

## Department information

Rocky Mount Fire Department #1  
1250 N. Main ST USNG: 17S NA 9852 9689  
Rocky Mount, VA 24151  
Chief: Pending



# William “Hal” Harold Clark

William “Hal” Harold Clark was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA’s annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 54

Rank: Vice President

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Sep 24, 2010 17:56

Date of death: Sep 24, 2010

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Advance Hose Lines/Fire Attack (includes Wildland)

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Outdoor Property

Memorial fund information: Flowers accepted or donations may be made to a fire company of your choice.

## Department information

Atlantic Volunteer Fire & Rescue Company  
PO Box 207, 10071 Atlantic RD USNG: 18S VG 5543 9495  
Atlantic, VA 23303  
Chief: David Grant

# Jeffery Alan Cocke

Jeffery Alan Cocke was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 59

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Aug 1, 2011 13:00

Date of death: Aug 4, 2011

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Other

Activity type: Other

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: After

Fixed property use: Residential

Memorial fund information: Firefighter Cocke suffered a pulmonary embolism within 24 hours of responding to two fire incident calls, one outdoor and one residential fire. After being treated and released from the hospital, Cocke returned two days later exhibiting symptoms when he passed away from his injury.

## Department information

Altavista Fire Department  
PO Box 208, 510 Seventh ST USNG: 17S PB 5189 0839  
Altavista, VA 24517  
Chief: John Tucker

# Horace “Chris” topher Pendergrass

Horace “Chris” topher Pendergrass was included in the USFA’s annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 49

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Oct 22, 2011 07:30

Date of death: Oct 22, 2011

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: In-Station Duties

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use: Store/Office

Memorial fund information: Memorial contributions can be made to the following: Firefighters Fund of Fairfax County, PO Box 401, Fairfax, VA 22038-0401; Prince of Peace Church, 1543 Summit Avenue, Portsmouth, VA 23704

## Department information

Fairfax County Fire & Rescue Department  
4100 Chain Bridge RD USNG: 18S TJ 9971 0203  
Fairfax, VA 22030  
Chief: Ronald L. Mastin

# Zachary “Zach” Taylor Whitacre

Zachary “Zach” Taylor Whitacre was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA’s annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 21

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Feb 13, 2012 03:45

Date of death: Feb 13, 2012

Cause of death: Vehicle Collision - Includes Aircraft

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Water Supply

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: On-Scene Fire

Fixed property use: Street/Road

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Gore Volunteer Fire & Rescue  
PO Box 146, 7184 Northwestern PIKE USNG: 17S QD 2996 4969  
Gore, VA 22637  
Chief: Steve Holliday

# Jonathan Dickinson Myers

Jonathan Dickinson Myers was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 54

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Career

Incident date: Mar 19, 2012 10:00

Date of death: Mar 19, 2012

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Other

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Norfolk Fire-Rescue  
100 Brooke AVE, STE 500 USNG: 18S UF 8487 7886  
Norfolk, VA 23510-1836  
Chief: Jeffrey F. Wise

# John Lennox Echternach, Jr.

John Lennox Echternach, Jr. was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 54

Rank: Lieutenant/EMT

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Jun 29, 2012 21:45

Date of death: Jul 2, 2012

Cause of death: Struck By

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Other

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Responding

Fixed property use: Street/Road

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Boones Mill Volunteer Fire Department  
25355 Virgil H Goode HWY USNG: 17S NB 9273 0867  
Boones Mill, VA 24065  
Chief: Division Chief Billy Ferguson

# David Raymond Chew, Jr.

David Raymond Chew, Jr. was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 30

Rank: Lieutenant

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Jul 16, 2012 11:30

Date of death: Jul 16, 2012

Cause of death: Vehicle Collision - Includes Aircraft

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Riding Vehicle/Apparatus

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Responding

Fixed property use: Street/Road

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Bloxom Volunteer Fire Company  
PO Box 132, 15312 Bayside DR  
Bloxom, VA 23308  
Chief: James Bagwell

# Joshua Travis Smith

Joshua Travis Smith was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 25

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Dec 14, 2013 14:44

Date of death: Dec 14, 2013

Cause of death: Vehicle Collision - Includes Aircraft

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Driving/Riding Personal Vehicle

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Responding

Fixed property use: Street/Road

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

LaCrosse Volunteer Fire Department  
PO Box 38, 202 Carolina ST USNG: 17S QA 5978 6489  
LaCrosse, VA 23950  
Chief: Mike Clark



# Timothy Wayne Pigg

Timothy Wayne Pigg was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 42

Rank: 2nd Assistant Fire Chief

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Aug 8, 2009 15:26

Date of death: Aug 7, 2009

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: After

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Amherst County Volunteer Fire Department

Amherst County, VA

# Ian David Haxton

Ian David Haxton was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 30

Rank: Veteran Fire Corps Crewmember

Classification: Wildland Full-Time

Incident date: Jun 6, 2015 08:00

Date of death: Jun 6, 2015

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Heart Attack

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: Training

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Student Conservation Association - Veteran Fire Corps  
4245 North Fairfax Drive, Suite 825 U.S. National Grid: 18S UJ 1678 0583  
Arlington, VA 22203  
Chief: President & CEO Jaime Berman Matyas

# Frank L Obremski

Frank L Obremski was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 64

Rank: Deputy Fire Coordinator

Classification: Volunteer

Incident date: Mar 10, 2014

Date of death: Mar 23, 2014

Cause of death: Stress/Overexertion

Nature of death: Cerebrovascular Accident

Activity type: Not On Scene

Emergency duty: No

Duty type: After

Fixed property use:

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Suffolk County Department of Fire, Rescue, and Emergency Services

Suffolk, VA

Chief: Commissioner Joesph Williams

